

stayed pending the settlement conference. Dkt. 557. The Court subsequently entered an order staying the case, including expert discovery, pending the settlement conference. Dkt. 558.

2. Following the settlement conference, the Court lifted the stay, permitted Plaintiffs to file a reply report by Dr. Singer, and permitted McDonald's to file a sur-reply report by Dr. Kevin Murphy. Dkt. 562. The Court ordered the parties to prepare a proposed schedule. *Id.*

3. The parties met and conferred on September 19, 2025, and conferred further via email. The parties have agreed to the following schedule:

Event	Prior Schedule	Proposed Revised Schedule
Deadline for Plaintiffs to serve reply report from Dr. Singer		10/24/2025
Deadline for Defendants to serve any sur reply report from Dr. Murphy		12/8/2025
Close of expert discovery	10/10/2025	1/9/2026
Deadline for Defendants to file their motion regarding the ancillary restraint defense	11/7/2025	1/28/2026
Deadline for Plaintiffs to file consolidated response regarding ancillary restraint defense and a cross-motion regarding ancillary restraint defense (if any)	1/13/2026	3/25/2026
Deadline for Plaintiffs to file a renewed motion for class certification	1/13/2026	3/25/2026
Deadline for Defendants to file consolidated reply in support of their motion regarding ancillary restraint defense and response to cross motion regarding ancillary restraint defense (if any)	3/10/2026	5/20/2026
Deadline for Defendants to respond to any renewed motion for class certification	3/10/2026	5/20/2026
Deadline for parties to file any motion(s) to exclude expert opinions and testimony	3/10/2026	5/20/2026

Deadline for parties to file oppositions to any motion(s) to exclude expert opinions and testimony	4/9/2026	6/24/2026
Deadline for Plaintiffs to file a reply in support of cross-motion regarding ancillary restraint defense (if any)	4/9/2026	6/24/2026
Deadline for Plaintiffs to file a reply in support of renewed motion for class certification	4/9/2026	6/24/2026
Deadline for parties to file replies in support of any motion(s) to exclude expert opinions and testimony	4/30/2026	7/15/2026

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Rachel S. Brass, an attorney, hereby certify that the foregoing **JOINT STATUS REPORT REGARDING PROPOSED SCHEDULE** was emailed to the registered parties of record on September 24, 2025.

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